

The foregoing is a true and correct tally list, and that S. J. Thompson has received a majority of votes, and is duly Elected Alderman of the 10th Ward of the city of Austin at an Election held at Austin on July 5<sup>th</sup> 1873.

J. D. M. Gary  
Judge of Election  
Dennis Cowin  
Judge of Election  
F. M. Noble  
Judge of Election  
C. P. Phillips  
Clark of Election  
Rich. C. Hunt  
Clark of Election.

Austin Tex June 11<sup>th</sup> 1873

To the Honorable Mayor  
and City Council.

Gentlemen,

I take great pleasure in thanking you for your kindness, and attention, in voting to me the free use of the City-Hall, for the examination of my Music Class. My pupils join me in thanks.

Most respectfully  
your humble servant  
Elijah M. Jackson.

City-Council Room  
Austin Tex July 10<sup>th</sup> 1873

Called meeting  
Hon. T. B. Wheeler in the Chair, called the Council to order, the roll was called and the following Aldermen answered to their names to wit:

Ald. E. Premond G. J. Boardman Geo. Suppmane  
Wm Brueggerhoff A. H. Robison J. H. Manning  
A. H. Longley S. Thompson

Absent: Ald. T. C. Sned and A. Scholy.  
His Honor the Mayor stated to the Council that the meeting was called for the purpose to take in consideration the propriety of holding an Election to get the sense of the citizens in regard the city of Austin taking stock to the

amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars in Gas and Water works. It was upon this. Ald. Longley offered the following resolution, to wit:

Be it resolved by the city Council of the city of Austin That His Honor, the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to issue his Proclamation ordering an Election by the qualified voters of Austin, On Saturday August 10<sup>th</sup> 1873 to take their sense as to whether the City of Austin shall take \$100,000. stock in Gas, and Water Works as authorized by an Act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1873. Which resolution passed unanimously.

Ald. Brueggerhoff moved that the Ordinance to authorize the Marshall to appoint two mounted policeman out of the present police force already appointed as a night police be read the second time, as follows, to wit:

Sec 1<sup>st</sup> That the city Marshal of the city of Austin be and is hereby authorized to appoint two out of the policemen already on duty as a mounted night police who shall be required to furnish their own horses as well as the provender for the same,

Sec 2<sup>nd</sup> That the said mounted Police appointed as aforesaid shall be liable to be called upon to execute any process either night or day, that the city Marshall may require.

Sec 3<sup>rd</sup> That said mounted police appointed in accordance with the provisions of the first Section of this ordinance shall have, have and receive a salary of twenty-five dollars in addition to the salary already received by them.

Sec 4<sup>th</sup> That this ordinance be in force from and after its passage.

The Ordinance was read the second time, on motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were suspended the ordinance read. The third time, the yeas and nays being called the ordinance passed by the following vote to wit:

Yea: Ald. G. Bremond G. T. Boardman  
 " " Geo. Bremann W. Brueggerhoff  
 " " J. H. Robinson J. W. Hamner  
 " A. H. Longley S. Thompson

Nays: None

Ald. Bremond moved that the Recorder be authorized to sell enough city warrants to pay the Bill of Charles

Johnson amounting to \$324<sup>75</sup> coin to the best advantage, which motion was unanimously carried.

Special Committee to whom was referred the petition of Miss Aliza Noel and Miss Van Schenk reported as follows:

To the Honorable T. B. Wheeler  
Mayor of the city of Austin.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the principals of the German American Boarding School on the Academy Block in the city of Austin, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed to report the following resolution and recommend its adoption.

Wm Brueggerhoff  
Chairman  
A. H. Longley  
G. T. Boardman

Be it resolved by the City Council of the city of Austin,  
That the city of Austin grant to the principals  
of the German American Boarding School the use  
of one half of the Academy Block, for the full term of  
ten years, upon which to erect a Female Academy.  
That said Academy to be built of stone or brick  
to be two stories high, and not to cost less than eight  
thousand dollars in coin.

That the Mayor be, and is hereby authorized, to enter into a contract in accordance with section 1st  
first, Conditioned that the parties therein shall  
within a reasonable time from the date of said con-  
tract erect said Academy building. That it shall  
be used only as a Female Academy. That at the  
expiration of said ten years, the City of Austin to  
have the privilege of purchasing said building  
at its then value or in case said City does not  
purchase, the said parties to have the refusal of  
leasing said half Block from the City or to sell  
to any other parties, that the city may lease to for  
the purpose herein designated.

On motion of Ald. Longley the rules were suspended  
the resolution read the second time, on motion of  
Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were fully suspended  
the resolution read the third time, the yeas and nays  
being called the resolution passed by the following  
vote, to wit: Yeas Ald. Brueggerhoff, Boardman

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Siperman, Brueggerhoff, Robinson Hannig,  
Longley & Thompson.  
Mays: none

Ald. Longley offered an Ordinance "To Regulate City Services and define the duties of the City Engineer," which ordinance was, on motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff read once by caption, and then referred to Committee on Ordinances.

His Honor T. B. Wheeler, appointed Ald. Longley on the Standing Ordinance Committee, and Ald. Thompson on the Standing Street Committee.

Petition of C. Philipe W. G. Denny and others, praying to reimburse certain citizens to the amount of \$116.52 claim for digging and curving, as well in centre of Beaubien Street on lot 4 Div A, was read & referred to Street Committee.

Ald. Brueggerhoff offered the following resolution to wit:

Be it resolved by the city Council of the city of Austin: That from and after the passage of this resolution no permit will be granted for the establishment of more than one meat Market in each ward, provided that this resolution shall not effect the permits already granted. Which resolution passed unanimously.

Ald. Brueggerhoff offered the following resolution to wit:

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Austin: That no more policemen be added to the present force until the city is better able to support a larger Police force except in case of actual necessity and so represented to the Board by the city Marshall.

On motion of Ald. Longley, further action was postponed on the resolution until next meeting.

Ald. Brueggerhoff offered the following resolution to wit:

Be it resolved by the City Council of the city of Austin that the Mayor and Recorder of the city of Austin are hereby authorized and instructed to issue Bonds of the City to the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars, and sell them for seventy five cents on the dollar, either for money, City Warrants, or any approved & credited City Paper, and that the proceeds of said Bonds be paid into the Treasury of the city of Austin.

On motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were suspended the resolution read the second time, on motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were further suspended

The resolution was the third time, the year and day being called the resolution passed by the following vote.

Yea: Ald. H. Bremond, H. T. Boardman,  
 " " Geo. Dufresne, W. Brueggemoff,  
 " " J. H. Robinson, A. W. Hammett,  
 " " A. H. Langley, S. Thompson -

Nay: None

Committed which was appointed to apportion the city into ten regular wards offered the following ordinance to vote:

Be it ordained by the city Council of the city of Austin that the limits of Ward number one(s) shall be as follows. Beginning at a point in the Colorado River where the centre of Congress Avenue intersects the centre of the channel of the same; thence up the centre of Congress Avenue to Pine street; thence up Pine Street to West Avenue; thence in a direct line to the N. E. corner of Block number Eleven (11) in Division 7. Thence with the North line of said Block number Eleven and Block number one(1) in said Division to the N. W. corner of said Block number one(s). Thence South with the West line of said Block number one (1) and the Reserve to the centre of the channel of the Colorado River. Thence down said River to the beginning.

Sec. 2<sup>nd</sup> That the limits of Ward number two shall be as follows. Beginning at the North East corner of Ward number one. Thence West with the North boundary of said Ward to the North West corner of Block number one in Division 7. Thence North with the West line of Block number three in said Division to the North West corner of the same. Thence East with the North line of Block Number three and Block number two in Division 7 to the N. E. corner of Block number two. Thence in a direct line to a point on West Avenue, where the centre of Hickory Street intersects said Avenue. Thence down Hickory Street to the centre of Congress Avenue. Thence down Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 3<sup>rd</sup>. That the limits of Ward number three shall be as follows. Beginning at the North East corner of Ward Number two. Thence West with the Northern boundary of said Ward to the North West corner of Block number

thence in Division 7. Thence with the West boundary of Block number four in said Division to the North West corner of said Block; thence East with the North boundary of Block number four and Block number five in said Division to Shoal Creek. Thence down Shoal Creek to the South West corner of Block number five in Division 8. Thence with the South line of said Block to the West Avenue to a point where Mesquite Street intersects the same. Thence down Mesquite Street to Congress Avenue. Thence down Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 4<sup>th</sup> That the limits of Ward number four shall be as follows: Beginning at the North East corner of Ward number three. Thence West with the North line of said Ward to the North West corner of Block number four in Division 7. Thence North with the West boundary of Block number seven, and Block number eight in Division 7, to the North West corner of said Block number eight. Thence with the North boundary of said Block to Shoal Creek. Thence down Shoal Creek to the point where North Avenue intersects the same. Thence East with North Avenue to Congress Avenue. Thence down Congress Avenue through the centre of Capitol square to the beginning.

Sec. 5<sup>th</sup> That the limits of Ward number five shall be as follows: Beginning at the North East corner of Ward number four. Thence West with the North line of said Ward to the North West corner of Block number eight in said Division 7. Thence North with the West line of Block number nine and Block number ten in said Division to the North corner of said Block number ten, on Shoal Creek. Thence down Shoal Creek to the West line of Block number fifty nine in Division 8. Thence down the West line of Block number fifty nine, number fifty three, number forty six, number thirty nine, number thirty two, and twenty five in said Division to Magnolia Street. Thence with Magnolia Street to a point where Congress Avenue intersects the same. Thence down Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 6<sup>th</sup> That the limits of Ward number six shall be as follows: Beginning at the <sup>North</sup> East corner of Ward number five. Thence with the line of said Ward to the North corner

of Block number ten in Division J. Thence with the West boundary of Block number seventy one in Division D to the North West corner of said Block. Thence with the North boundary of Block number seventy one, seventy, sixty-nine, sixty-eight, thirteen, twelve, eleven, and ten in Division D, to the North East corner of said Block number ten. Thence down the East line of Block number ten to Waller Creek. Thence down Waller Creek to the point where Magnolia Street intersects the same. Thence West with Magnolia Street to the beginning.

Sec. 7<sup>th</sup>

That the limits of Ward number seven shall be as follows: Beginning at the South East corner of Ward number six on Magnolia Street. Thence East with said Street to the North West corner of Lot number forty three in Division B. Thence with North line of said Lot to the North East corner of Lot number thirty-nine in said Division. Thence with East lines of number thirty-nine, thirty-eight, and fifty-six in Division B. To the South East corner of Lot number fifty-six. Thence South across Lot number sixty-one in said Division to the North East corner of Lot number five in said Division. Thence West with the North line of Lots number five, four, three, two, and one in said Division to East Avenue. Thence up East Avenue to the point opposite where College Avenue intersects the same. Thence with College Avenue to the center of Capitol square. Thence up Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 8<sup>th</sup>

That the limits of Ward number eight shall be as follows: Beginning at the South West corner of Ward number seven. Thence East with the line of said Ward to the North West corner of Lot number five in Division B. Thence with the West line of said Lot to the South East corner of the same. Thence with the South lines of Lots number five, four, three, two, and one in said Division to East Avenue. Thence up East Avenue to the point where Hickory Street intersects the same. Thence with Hickory Street to Congress Avenue. Thence up Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 9<sup>th</sup>

That the limits of Ward number nine shall be as follows: Beginning at the South West corner of Ward number eight. Thence with the South line of said Ward

To the South East corner of Lot number five in Division "B" thence with the East line of Lot number four in Division "A" to the South East corner of the same. Thence West up Pine Street to Congress Avenue. Thence up Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 10<sup>th</sup> That the limits of Ward number ten shall be as follows: Beginning at the South West corner of Ward number nine thence with the South line of said Ward to the South East corner of Lot number four in Division "A". Thence South with the East boundary of Lots number four, twenty, ~~thirty~~<sup>thirty</sup>, thirty-four, forty-six, fifty-seven, and sixty-nine in Division "C" and continuing in a straight line to the centre of the channel of the Colorado River. Thence up the channel of said River to the point opposite where Congress Avenue intersects the same. Thence up Congress Avenue to the beginning.

Sec. 11<sup>th</sup> That this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after the first Monday in November A. D. 1873.

On motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were suspended; the ordinance read by caption the second time; on motion of Ald. Brueggerhoff the rules were further suspended; the ordinance read by caption the third time; the year and maya were called and the ordinance passed by the following vote:

Yea,	Ald. B. Bremond,	G. J. Boardman
"	Geo. Schumann,	W <sup>m</sup> . Brueggerhoff
"	J. H. Robinson, J. W. Banning,	A. H. Longley, S. Thompson.

Nays None

On motion of Ald. Bremond the Council then adjourned.

Fred Steingr  
Recorder.

### City Council Room

Austin Texas July 19<sup>th</sup> 1873

The Council sitting as a Court of Appeals His Hon. J. H. Wheeler presiding called the the Court to order, The Roll being called the following Ald. answered to their name to wit, Ald. W<sup>m</sup>. Brueggerhoff, A. H. Longley J. H. Robinson Absent. Ald. J. E. Reed, B. Bremond G. J. Boardman George Schumann, A. Scholz, J. W. Banning, S. Thompson.

On motion the Court adjourned to next day July 20<sup>th</sup> 1873.

City Council Room  
Austin, Texas July 29<sup>th</sup> 1878

The Council sitting as a court of Appeals, Ald. Breen  
presiding, the Roll was called, and the following Ald.  
answered to their names to wit, Ald. J. C. Green, Wm.  
Brueggerhoff, J. H. Robinson, G. T. Bradman, Geo.  
Supmanor, A. Scholz, A. H. Longley, S. Thompson -  
Absent, Ald. J. W. Cannon and D. Premond.  
His Honor J. B. Wheeler asked, if any complaints  
had been made, in regard to change of assessment  
of property in the new addition of the City, whereupon  
the Recorder announced none had been made.

Ald. A. H. Longley of the 9<sup>th</sup> ward declared the assessment  
of said ward satisfactory.

Ald. S. Thompson disapproved the assessment of L.  
Hurst and others of the 10<sup>th</sup> ward, whereupon a carefull  
examination by the Court of Appeals it was moved by  
Ald. Breen, and duly seconded, that it be changed  
as follows, to wit:

Block No. 0 \$ 1500<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(1) \$ 1500<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2  
(2) \$ 1250<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(3) \$ 10,00<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(4) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>  
Block 1 1/2(5) \$ 1200<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(6) \$ 1200<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(9) \$ 18,00<sup>00</sup>  
Block 1 1/2(14) \$ 750<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(15) \$ 5000<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(18) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>  
Block 1 1/2(19) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(20) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(21) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>  
Block 1 1/2(22) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(22 1/2) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(23) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>  
Block 1 1/2(23 1/2) \$ 1000<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(34) \$ 1500<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(35) \$ 1500<sup>00</sup>  
Block 1 1/2(36) \$ 1500<sup>00</sup>, Block 1 1/2(37) \$ 1500<sup>00</sup> in Division "D".

which motion was unanimously carried.

There being no further business before the Court of Appeals  
Ald. Robinson moved that the assessment of the new addi-  
tion of the City be approved as it now stands and the  
Court adjourn sine die, which motion was unanimously  
carried,

Fred Steing  
Recorder